

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor , I hereby declare that :

I believe I am the sole (if only one name appears below) , or joint (if more than one name appears) , original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled :

"AN OPTICAL PROXIMITY CORRECTION METHOD"

 + The specification for the above entitled invention is filed herewith.

 The specification for the above entitled invention was filed previously
with application serial number: Filing Date:

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of the invention disclosed in this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56 (a). I further acknowledge the duty in any continuation-in-part application to disclose to the Patent and Trademark Office all information known to be material to the patentability of the invention disclosed in this application, as defined in 1.56, which became available to me between the filing date of the prior application and the filing date of this application.

PRIORITY CLAIM

 There is no claim of priority

 + Claim of priority is based on the following:

 Divisional Application of No. 10/064,413

 Filing Date = 2002/7/11

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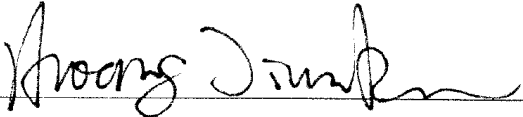
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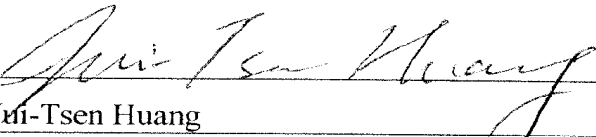
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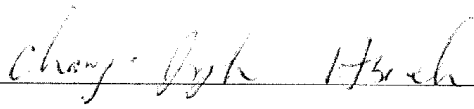
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DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued hereon.

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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration.

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Hereby sells, assigns and transfers to **UNITED MICROELECTRONICS CORP.**
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, and the successors assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title, and interest in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

"AN OPTICAL PROXIMITY CORRECTION METHOD
"

Which is found in :

- (a) _____ U.S. patent application executed on even date
- (b) _____ U.S. patent application executed on _____
- (c) _____ U.S. application serial no. _____
- (d) _____ patent no. _____ issued _____

and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent any reissue or re-examination thereof

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment;

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set hand and seal this _____ (Date of signing).

(Type name of inventor)

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